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SUBJECT: REQUESTS FOR JAMAICAN CITIZENS TO APPEAR AS WITNESSES
IN U.S.

1. THIS POST FREQUENTLY RECEIVES MESSAGES INFORMING US OF THE DESIRE
OF VARIOUS U.S. JUDICIAL AUTHORITIES TO HAVE JAMAICANS APPEAR AS
WITNESSES BEFORE U.S. TRIBUNALS. REQUESTS ARE ALWAYS ACCOMPANIED BY
FISCAL INFORMATION. IN ORDER TO HANDLE THESE REQUESTS PROPERLY WE
WOULD APPRECIATE ANSWERS FROM THE LEGAL ADVISER'S OFFICE TO THE
FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

A. AT WHAT STAGE IN THE FOLLOW-UP ACTION TO SUCH REQUESTS SHOULD
WE INFORM THE JAMAICAN AUTHORITIES? BEFORE APPROACHING THE INTENDED
WITNESSES?

B. HOW SHOULD THIS BE DONE? BY DIPLOMATIC NOTE?

2. JAMAICAN AUTHORITIES HAVE BEEN MOST HELPFUL IN ALL SUCH CASES SO
WE DO NOT WANT TO SHORT CIRCUIT PROPER PROCEDURES AND RISK OFFENSE.
MATTER IS OF SOME URGENCY AS WE HAVE REQUEST PENDING.
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